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"METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR MAKING AND USING TRANSGENIC DICAMBA-DEGRADING ORGANISMS"

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1. Specification (Total Pages of Text, including Abstract and Claims: 69)

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3. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)

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Applicants request an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) of three (3) months to respond to the Office Action mailed on May 28, 2004, with respect to the above-identified application, thereby extending the period for response from August 28, 2004, to November 28, 2004.

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